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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 7357**

**BILL NUMBER:** HB 1237

**NOTE PREPARED:** Jan 11, 2004

**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Reconnection Charges.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Rep. Moses

**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**BILL STATUS:** As Introduced

**FUNDS AFFECTED:**    **GENERAL**  
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                          **FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** State & Local

**Summary of Legislation:** The bill provides that a utility reconnection charge may not exceed actual reconnection costs.

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2004.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** This bill would require to the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (IURC) to review and, if necessary, promulgate rules related to the utility reconnection charges. The IURC could presumably absorb any costs associated with this requirement.

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:** Municipally-owned utilities would be subject to the bill's requirements.

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:**

**Local Agencies Affected:** Municipally-owned utilities.

**Information Sources:**

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